



## **BEARFACTS 1994 – 2004**

### **Tensas , Louisiana [22107]**

Tensas is one of 64 counties in Louisiana. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2004 population of 6,026 ranked 64th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2004 Tensas had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$21,061. This PCPI ranked 42nd in the state and was 77 percent of the state average, \$27,262, and 64 percent of the national average, \$33,157. The 2004 PCPI reflected a decrease of 0.9 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 state change was 5.4 percent and the national change was 5.2 percent. In 1994 the PCPI of Tensas was \$16,504 and ranked 17th in the state. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 2.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.0 percent and for the nation was 4.1 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2004 Tensas had a total personal income (TPI) of \$126,916\*. This TPI ranked 64th in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1994 the TPI of Tensas was \$114,122\* and ranked 64th in the state. The 2004 TPI reflected a decrease of 3.0 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 state change was 5.7 percent and the national change was 6.1 percent. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of TPI was 1.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.3 percent and for the nation was 5.2 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Tensas. In 2004 net earnings accounted for 47.7 percent of TPI (compared with 53.0 in 1994); dividends, interest, and rent were 21.6 percent (compared with 15.9 in 1994); and personal current transfer receipts were 30.8 percent (compared with 31.1 in 1994). From 2003 to 2004 net earnings decreased 18.1 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 32.0 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 7.7 percent. From 1994 to 2004 net earnings remained unchanged; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 4.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 0.9 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Tensas decreased from \$71,017\* in 2003 to \$58,830\* in 2004, a decrease of 17.2 percent. The 2003-2004 state change was 5.5 percent and the national change was 6.5 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1994 estimate of \$60,538\* to the 2004 estimate was - 0.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.7 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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